

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Docket No.
MIN-P01-001Application No.
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Applicant(s): Braun et al.

Invention: PATHOGEN IDENTIFICATION METHOD

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